# TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE

## **FISCAL NOTE**



### **HB 1830**

March 27, 2011

**SUMMARY OF BILL:** Increases, from 13 to 15, the number of grand jurors in each county.

#### **ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:**

**Increase Local Expenditures - \$41,000** 

#### Assumptions:

- Grand jurors are paid by local governments at an average of \$11 per day. Some counties reimburse mileage at an average mileage reimbursement of \$0.10 per mile. Adjusting for the counties that do not reimburse mileage, the average miles reimbursed is 10 miles per juror per day (\$1 per day).
- Statewide, 95 grand juries sit an average of 18 days per year.
- Adding two grand jurors to each grand jury will increase expenditures of local governments by \$41,040 {[3,420 additional juror days (2 x 95 x 18) x \$11 daily pay] + \$3,420 (\$1 mileage x 3,420 additional juror days) = \$41,040}.

#### **CERTIFICATION:**

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

James W. White, Executive Director

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